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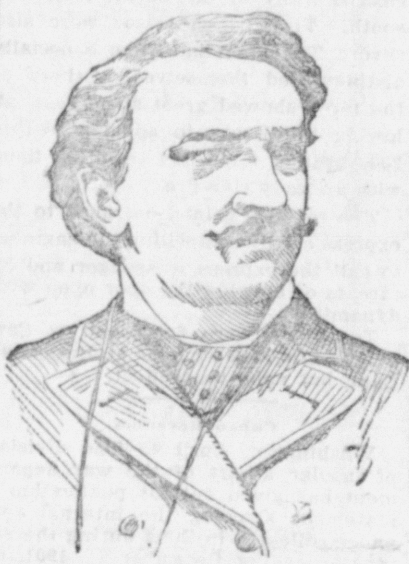
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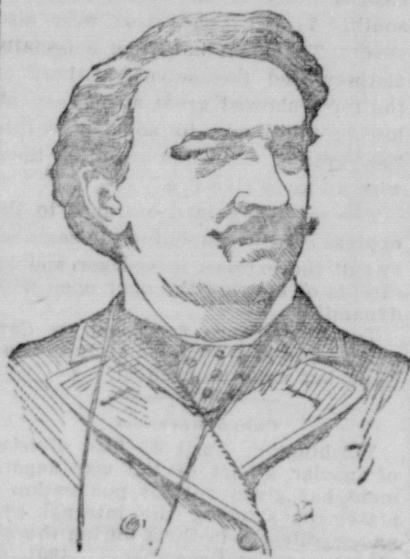
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Fortunately no lives were lost, though probably a dozen persons were slightly injured and burned. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is said to have started in either Brady's baths or the Tarleton hotel.

### Farmers Planting Fruit Trees.

Denison, Tex., April 4.—E. W. Gray and W. J. Kinney are in the city delivering 4000 more peach trees, most of them going to enlarge orchards of the members of the Grayson County Fruit and Truck Growers' association. This makes 44,000 trees of the three varieties planted by the orchardists in the vicinity of this city. There is every indication that this will prove a fine growing year for fruit trees.

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12 1-2c White India Linen Lawns at	8 1-2
Hamilton brand Calicoes special for week	4 1-2
Our up-to-date Homespun assorted colors for this week	15c
20c per bunch artificial flowers special	9c
25c bunch roses, 3 in bunch at	15c
Large Steel Hat Buckles worth 35c, special	15c
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Coon Potter has withdrawn from  
the race for congress.

For a change, suppose we swap  
Roosevelt for Funston awhile.

The friends of Judge Reagan  
throughout the state regret his long  
continued illness.

The Danish West Indies pur-  
chase is the subject of congression-  
al investigation. There appears to  
be something rotten somewhere,  
and it may not be in Denmark.

Roosevelt has figured out a  
scheme for the retirement of Lieu-  
tenant Gen. Miles that seems to  
leave the general with no choice  
but to step down and out at the  
bidding of a chance president.

Gen. Samuel Pearson, formerly  
of the Boer army, and now in this  
country in the interest of the  
Boers, declares that the British  
have a regular military establish-  
ment in Louisiana, from which  
they have sent to South Africa at  
least 42,000 men and 210,117 hor-  
ses and mules. He says there is  
one British general, two colonels  
and sixty captains and lieutenants  
in this country now with head-  
quarters at New Orleans.

### ZAPATA NEEDS HELP.

People Are in a Deplorable Condition  
and Stock Dying.

Laredo, Tex., April 4.—Judge Mc-  
Lane and District Attorney Hamilton,  
have just returned from Carrizo,  
where they went to hold a term of the  
district court for Zapata county and  
both are agreed that the people of that  
county are in a most deplorable con-  
dition.

Judge McLane, in an interview,  
said:

"There is no fodder for the horses  
and corn was five cents a pound (Mex-  
ican money). The stock are nearly  
all dead and what is still living are  
so poor they can scarcely walk. The  
water holes are nearly all dried up—  
will last but a few weeks longer—and  
when stock is left will not live a  
week."

"We travelled 140 miles," said the  
judge, "and in that distance did not  
see enough grass to fill one's hat.  
Nothing has been grown in the coun-  
try for two years. Those who have a  
few cattle left are unable to even  
pay their taxes. The people have  
planted nothing this year and are ut-  
terly without hope."

Judge McLane thinks that if a sup-  
ply of corn and beans could be raised  
that would be sufficient at the pres-  
ent as these people can live very well  
upon this diet.

The fact remains that these people  
are in a deplorable condition and  
something must soon be done to re-  
lieve their terrible situation.

### CARTER SERIOUSLY ILL.

He is Suffering from Typhoid Fever in  
Federal Prison at Leavenworth.

Leavenworth, Kan., April 4.—Ober-  
lin M. Carter, ex-captain of engineers  
in the United States army, is seriously  
and probably fatally ill at the federal  
penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth. He  
has typhoid fever and his temperature

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For the Lumberman's Convention  
at Houston April 8. to 10, 1902, the  
Houston & Texas Central Railroad  
will sell round trip tickets at reduced  
rates. Dates of sale will be April 6,  
and 7, and for train arriving at Hous-  
ton morning of April 8. Tickets will  
be limited to leave Houston not later  
than April 12.

The Lumberman's Special for  
Mexico City will leave Houston at  
11:15 p. m. April 10, via the Sunset  
Route, and will stop at all points of  
interest in the Republic along the  
route traveled. A very low rate will  
be made to delegates attending the  
Convention, and extension of limit  
will be made on the tickets sold to  
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This is a rare chance to visit Mex-  
ico City. For information regarding  
rate, schedule, sleeping car accom-  
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G. P. & T. A. A. G. P. A.  
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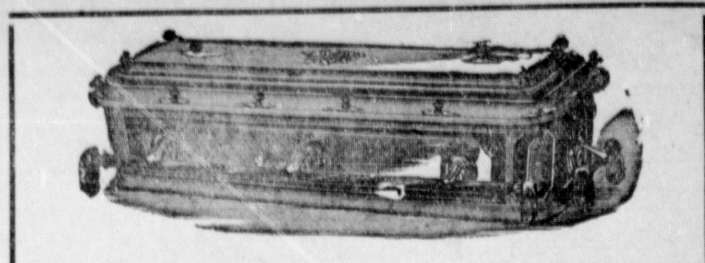
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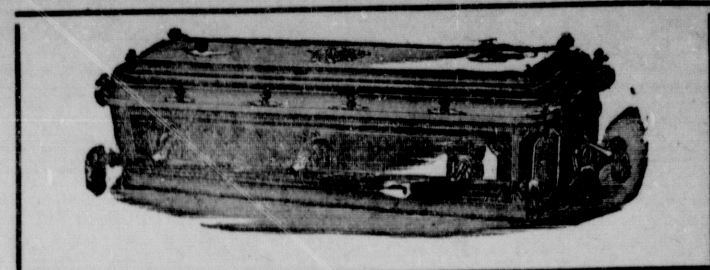
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For a change, suppose we swap Roosevelt for Funston awhile.

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He Will Succeed Powderly as Commissioner General of Immigration.

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It is understood the resignations of Powderly and McSweeney have been requested, or will be at once.

Joseph Murray will succeed the latter and William Williams will be nominated soon to succeed Commissioner of Immigration Fitchie at New York.

### LEAVES FOR HOME.

Miss Stone Sails for the United States on the Deutschland.

London, April 4.—Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, sailed for New York on the Deutschland, which left Southampton this morning. Her departure from London was quiet. She will begin lecturing, in aid of missions, almost immediately upon arrival in the United States.

### Eagle Requested to Resign.

Little Rock, April 4.—Governor Jefferson Davis has asked for the resignation of former Governor James P. Eagle of the state capitol commission. Commissioner Eagle refused to resign and requested the governor to give his reasons for the request. Governor Davis replied in substance that the conflicting views of the two concerning Democratic politics would prevent them from working harmoniously together. Ex-Governor Eagle, who was appointed a commissioner a year ago, has not yet sent in his resignation. In the campaign preceding the Democratic primaries last Saturday, Eagle opposed the reappointment of Davis for governor.

### Wild Enthusiasm at Panama.

Panama, Colombia, April 4.—This city was the scene of wild enthusiasm on the part of the conservatives, Thursday night, when Governor Salazar made public the contents of the following dispatch received from President Marroquin:

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Drs. Cole, Scott & Roberts will remain in Bryan three (3) days, April 7, 8 and 9. 106

Mrs. W. H. Dean left yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Brooks of Navasota.

LOST—A brooch set with pearls. Suitable reward for return to this office. 105

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Pants goods at Coulter's.

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It is understood the resignations of Powderly and McSweeney have been requested, or will be at once.

Joseph Murray will succeed the latter and William Williams will be nominated soon to succeed Commissioner of Immigration Fitchie at New York.

### LEAVES FOR HOME.

Miss Stone Sails for the United States on the Deutschland.

London, April 4.—Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, sailed for New York on the Deutschland, which left Southampton this morning. Her departure from London was quiet. She will begin lecturing, in aid of missions, almost immediately upon arrival in the United States.

### Eagle Requested to Resign.

Little Rock, April 4.—Governor Jefferson Davis has asked for the resignation of former Governor James P. Eagle of the state capitol commission. Commissioner Eagle refused to resign and requested the governor to give his reasons for the request. Governor Davis replied in substance that the conflicting views of the two concerning Democratic politics would prevent them from working harmoniously together. Ex-Governor Eagle, who was appointed a commissioner a year ago, has not yet sent in his resignation. In the campaign preceding the Democratic primaries last Saturday, Eagle opposed the reappointment of Davis for governor.

### Wild Enthusiasm at Panama.

Panama, Colombia, April 4.—This city was the scene of wild enthusiasm on the part of the conservatives, Thursday night, when Governor Salazar made public the contents of the following dispatch received from President Marroquin:

"Bogota—General Gonzales Valencia has defeated and completely destroyed the armies of Generals Pocien Soto and Juan McAllister. General Uribe Uribe, who invaded Colombian territory via Medina, in the department of Boyaca, was also defeated by General Nicolas Pardamp."

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The Rev. John Rollins did not notice that his wife was holding out his bear-skin coat with both hands. He continued to stare into the depths of the open fireplace.

The nickel alarm clock ticked noisily on the high mantelshelf, the only sound in the cabin tucked under Bilger's hill. The minute hand touched 12, and Mrs. Rollins coughed apologetically.

The Reverend John came out of his trance and slipped into the waiting coat. His wife cast an adoring look up at his square shouldered six feet one.

"I hated to interrupt your thoughts, Jack, but the stage is due in a minute. Were you thinking of your sermon?"

"Not much, my girl," replied Rollins. "I was thinking of that twenty-four mile ride with Whacker Bill. It is honestly the worst feature of this charge. I like to go over to Las Vegas. They're a friendly set, and they're always glad to see me. But the ride—that foul mouthed Bill, with his swearing at every rut in the road! But I'll cure him yet. I feel somehow as if I'd been sent to this place to save Whacker Bill's soul, and I'm going to do it."

John Rollins set his mouth in the firm curve that his wife could remember from the old football days, long before he had taken orders in the church. The little woman clasped and unclasped her hands nervously.

"I hope, Jack, dear, you'll be very, very careful in dealing with Bill. He's an awful character, they say—and—"

"Yes, he claims to be the champion bad man of the Las Vegas valley, but you remember a certain little sling once did the business with another braggart, and I'm loading up with stones for the same trick."

He smiled cheerily into his wife's anxious face, kissed her tenderly and crossed to the door.

"Don't worry, little woman. I won't hurt him or lay myself liable to the law."

The Reverend Rollins threw open the door and gazed down the winding mountain street. The commotion in front of the postoffice told him that the stage had arrived. He stalked down the flower edged path to meet it.

When the stage plunged and swayed past the cabin, Mrs. Rollins waved her hand to her husband, sitting straight and smiling beside the rough driver. Then she ran into the house, where, burying her face in her husband's big chair, she had a hearty cry.

On and on swung the stage, Bill chatting amiably of his former triumphs when the vigilantes represented the law and life was worth living. Nothing happened to disturb his serenity until they had passed Las Cruces, when they suddenly came upon a patch of road that made the stage jerk and plow from side to side, like a ship in the teeth of a gale.

What Whacker Bill said about the road commissioners of the county would not bear publication. As he stormed and raved in the maddest of profanity the Rev. John Rollins squared round and looked Whacker Bill fairly in the eye.

"Here, you triangulated sine qua non of a perambulator, shut up!"

Bill stopped in the middle of a mighty oath and stared at the missionary in amazement. So preachers lost their temper, and such a quiet chap as Preacher Rollins too!

Bill forgot the condition of the road while he ruminated over this fact. Then they struck an ugly stone, a mailbag flew through space, and Bill came back to earth by a most profane route. Rollins held the reins while Bill went back to gather up Uncle Sam's possessions. The offending bag went up with a crash and an oath, and Bill was following with a still mightier accompaniment of profanity when he felt the young missionary's grip of steel on his wrist.

"You bifurcated prismoidal of a ne plus ultra iconoclast, stop that noise and tend to business!"

Whacker Bill climbed into the seat without a word. Rollins calmly lighted a cigar and studied the scenery, and they rode five miles in eloquent silence. Then Bill could stand it no longer.

"Pardner, what did you 'urn it?"

"At college," came the terse reply.

"Lordy, am I've heerd 'em called religious cemeteries!" murmured Bill, and silence once more settled between them.

Rollins was smoking his third cigar and feeling a bit nervous as they covered the last two miles into Las Vegas. Just as they caught sight of the town's lights twinkling in the mist one of the lead horses stumbled and fell. In ten seconds there was a mad combination of horses, tangled harness and profanity in front of the stage. When the damage had been repaired to a steady fire of cuss words, Bill returned to his post, swearing as he mounted the step, swearing as he gathered up his lines, swearing as he cracked the whip. Then that calm, even voice fell upon his ear.

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The nickel alarm clock ticked noisily on the high mantelsheaf, the only sound in the cabin tucked under Bilger's bill. The minute hand touched 12, and Mrs. Rollins coughed apologetically.

The Reverend John came out of his trance and slipped into the waiting coat. His wife cast an adoring look up at his square shouldered six feet one.

"I hated to interrupt your thoughts, Jack, but the stage is due in a minute. Were you thinking of my sermon?"

"Not much, my girl," replied Rollins. "I was thinking of that twenty-four mile ride with Whacker Bill. It is honestly the worst feature of this charge. I like to go over to Las Vegas. They're a friendly set, and they're always glad to see me. But the ride—that foul mouthed Bill, with his swearing at every rut in the road! But I'll cure him yet. I feel somehow as if I'd been sent to this place to save Whacker Bill's soul, and I'm going to do it."

John Rollins set his mouth in the firm curve that his wife could remember from the old football days, long before he had taken orders in the church.

The little woman clasped and unclasped her hands nervously.

"I hope, Jack, dear, you'll be very, very careful in dealing with Bill. He's an awful character, they say—and—"

"Yes, he claims to be the champion bad man of the Las Vegas valley, but you remember a certain little sling once did the business with another braggart, and I'm loading up with stones for the same trick."

He smiled cheerily into his wife's anxious face, kissed her tenderly and crossed to the door.

"Don't worry, little woman. I won't hurt him or lay myself liable to the law."

The Reverend Rollins threw open the door and gazed down the winding mountain street. The commotion in front of the postoffice told him that the stage had arrived. He stalked down the flower edged path to meet it.

When the stage plunged and swayed past the cabin, Mrs. Rollins waved her hand to her husband, sitting straight and smiling beside the rough driver. Then she ran into the house, where, burying her face in her husband's big chair, she had a hearty cry.

On and on swung the stage, Bill chatting amiably of his former triumphs when the vigilantes represented the law and life was worth living. Nothing happened to disturb his serenity until they had passed Las Cruces, when they suddenly came upon a patch of road that made the stage jerk and plow from side to side, like a ship in the teeth of a gale.

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"You bifurcated prismoidal of a ne plus ultra iconoclast, stop that noise and tend to business!"

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"At college," came the terse reply.

"Lordy, an' I've heerd 'em called religious cemeteries!" murmured Bill, and silence once more settled between them.

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